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LHB 1509-215IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of : Confirmation No. 6171
 John S. ERICKSON et al. : Art Unit: 3621
 Serial No. 09/941,568 : Examiner: F. Backer
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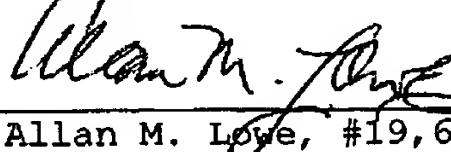
Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed June 10, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-18 of the above-identified application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$500 statutory fee to Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby request any required extension of time not otherwise requested and hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge any required fees not otherwise provided for, including application processing, extension of time, and extra claims fees, to Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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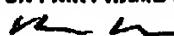
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